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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: [redacted] trip to [redacted] 19-20 October 1951
(Conversations with [redacted])

1. [redacted] met with [redacted] and [redacted] in the 00 Office in [redacted] at 10:00 a.m., 19 October. [redacted] and [redacted] were briefed on the general progress being made in the various research fields of the project and appeared to be considerably heartened over the program as outlined.

2. [redacted] asked [redacted] to look in on the work going on at [redacted] in connection with rapid selection techniques. [redacted] will report on its bearing, if any, on our project and the scope, techniques, etc., of the work.

3. [redacted] advised [redacted] of the plans for a thorough approach to all methods of detecting deception. [redacted] agreed to contact [redacted] as soon as he returns from [redacted] (early in November) and put [redacted] in touch with [redacted] before he takes any action in the field.

4. [redacted] asked if [redacted] would get a report from [redacted] on his conversations with [redacted] will continue to work on the general aspects of psychological techniques for interrogations. (It has been generally agreed by psychologists and psychiatrists both within and outside CIA that a psychological approach to the interviewee, regardless of the techniques used, is the most important part of the problem.)

5. [redacted] agreed to arrange for all requests for travel and requests for reimbursement for travel originating from the panel members to be sent to [redacted] who will arrange for the details.

6. It was agreed that [redacted] would maintain contact with the panel through [redacted] either in Washington or [redacted] at least every two weeks in order to benefit by new ideas turned up by them and to obtain their ideas on projects in progress.

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